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LR 194, 195

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I certainly am happy to be able to rise and support Senator O'Rasmussen in something that is really worthwhile. As President of the Arbor Day Foundation and this is the real goal of our Foundation is to plant trees. I think this Mr. Wake being honored by the Forestry Department is a high honor and one that is much deserved. I congratulate Senator Rasmussen for honoring this man and on behalf of the Foundation, I'm happy to endorse the resolution. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Any further discussion on LR 194? If not, Senator Rasmussen, would you care to close? Motion then before the House is the adoption of LR 194. All those in favor vote aye. Opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of the resolution, Mr. President.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: LR 194 is adopted. We have one more resolution which was put on the desk this morning and because of the time problem on this particular one, then, Mr. Clerk, we'll have it read in and the Chair will recognize Senator Cope. It's a special resolution that has a time factor in it and we should take it up today.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 195 introduced by Senator Cope, Senator Kahle, Senator Keyes and Senator Luedtke. (Read LR 195 found on page 1354 of the Journal.) Mr. President, Senator Cope moves to suspend Rule 4, Section 6, so as to consider LR 195 today.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: All right, Senator Cope, first on the motion to suspend. I recognize you for that motion first.

SENATOR COPE: Could we have the rules suspended and take this up immediately? It's very important.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: All right. The motion then ...

SENATOR COPE: Unanimous consent.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: No, we have to vote on it because it requires the rules suspended to take it up. Senator Keyes, do you wish to speak to the rule suspension?

SENATOR KEYES: No, I just wanted that last paragraph read again. I didn't understand and I think there's an awful lot of people here didn't understand it. Read the last paragraph again, will you?

CLERK: (Reread last paragraph of LR 195.)

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Marsh, did you wish to speak to the motion to suspend?

SENATOR MARSH: There's a copy of this on our desks.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: I don't know.

SENATOR COPE: This was an emergency and we just didn't have time. I think we can explain it very well.

SENATOR MARSH: To not wish somebody luck? That's an emergency?

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